

# **Public Art Committee**

# Minutes of the Regular Meeting of October 28, 2014

ROLL CALL - Chairperson St. Clair called the meeting to order at 3:07 pm.

**Commissioners:** City Staff:

Carolyn St. Clair Brad Raulston, Executive Director Crystal Mercado Denise Davis, Executive Secretary

Claudia Torres William Virchis

Commissioners Absent:

Manuel Cavada

## MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

Approval of Minutes of the meeting held on August 27, 2014 1st by Virchis, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Torres Motion carried by unanimous vote.

## NON-AGENDA PUBLIC COMMENT

N/A

## **PRESENTATIONS**

N/A

## **ACTION ITEMS**

None

## **NON-ACTION ITEMS**

1. Update: Student Art Project for City Hall

Brad will speak with ARTS about changing pictures. Committee will come up with a description regarding process.

Crystal Mercado gave an update on Open Spaces. They have been having meetings and have started proposals. They want to come up with something long-lasting.

Ideas: Three sites will be looked at for the Murals. Suggested locations are 1) Pillars on 805 at Euclid and Sweetwater. Brad to put Crystal in touch with CalTrans as they have a Freeway Maintenance Agreement. 2) 8<sup>th</sup> Street on private building or 3) retaining walls, 4) Pedestrian Bridge over 805 in Lincoln Acres. Brad suggested Crystal to connect with U-Haul on Civic Center as they have proposed to invest \$50,000 towards public art at their facility.

# 2. <u>Memorial Project – Claudia Torres</u>

Met with City Council on AdHoc Committee. The memorial rendering was presented to Council on October 21, 2015. The D Avenue Budget is estimated at \$60,000 and the rendering will be presented around Memorial Day.

# 3. <u>Update: Tower of Terror at NC Fire Station 34</u>

The tower is in the building process. Still looking for more volunteers to have completed by the Halloween event.

## **CITY STAFF COMMENTS**

One of the former PAC committee members, Paul, would like to create a utility box project. There would be at no cost to the City. The test area would start on 8<sup>th</sup> Street. If committee decides to make it a project it will need to go to Council for approval.

# **COMMISSIONER COMMENTS**

As of December 31, 2014, Carolyn St. Clair will resign as the Chair of the Public Art Committee. Written letter of resignation will be forthcoming.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

1<sup>st</sup> Torres, 2<sup>nd</sup> Virchis Motion carried by unanimous vote

Meeting adjourned at 3:34 pm.

Date and Time of Next Meeting – The next Regula Tuesday, January 27, 2015 at 4:00 pm. Committee Center.	S.
Brad Raulston, Executive Director	Carolyn St. Clair, Chair